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**SOCIETY MEETINGS.**

L. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge No. 8, this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us. D. R. Baker, N. G. I. N. Martin, Jr., Sec'y.

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Yours,  
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# The Poem

I stood upon the ocean's sandy beach,  
And with a reed I wrote upon the sand these words:  
“Agnes, I love thee.”  
But the winds came and the waves rolled mountains high,  
And blotted out the fair impression.  
Cruel waves, treacherous sand, fragile reed;  
No longer will I trust thee;  
But from the highest mountain peak I'll pluck the tallest pine,  
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## MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER, 11, 1890.

### MATTERS OF FACT.

See Aunt Dinah's Hushing Bee, Nov. 14. W. W. Foster sells all kinds of groceries cheap. Give him a trial.

See Peake & Son's nobby show window. It attracts attention.

An endless variety of plain and ornamented watches at Peake & Sons.

Hot cakes and maple syrup at W. A. Combs, 114 North Water street. Try them.

George W. Ehrhart received a car load of fine Port Limon bananas yesterday.

If you want a first-class lunch go and see W. A. Combs, 114 North Water street.

All the latest novelties at Miss Williams' millinery store, South Park.

If you want to see something nobby and all the latest patterns in jewelry, step in at Peake & Son's jewelry store.

It is a caution to see how Peake & Son are knocking the bottom out of prices on watches, stocks and jewelry.

See Mrs. M. Clark's display of fine millinery. Everything new and stylish, 250 North Park street.

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Go to Miss Williams' and see the beautiful line of trimmed hats and bonnets. 205 South Park street.

The Argenta Hotel is for sale or rent. Apply to J. L. Drake, 437 West Wood street, or W. T. J. Cooper, at Argenta, Ill.

See Aunt Dinah's Hushing Bee, Nov. 14. Now the exciting times of election are past, and you want to know where you can do best in the musical line. C. B. Prescott's, on North Water, is the place.

A called meeting of the Woman's club will be held in the club rooms Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Business of importance to be transacted.

Mrs. M. M. T. RANDALL, Pres.  
ANNA B. HINKLE, Secy.

The New Court House Picture would make a good looking page in the new city directory, but it will be too late for this issue. Nevertheless the directory will have illustrations of all the blocks, manufacturing institutions, etc.

Sal Maqua. A masquerade ball will be given in Guards' armory Friday, Nov. 14. Admission 50 cents.

The Election is Over but the work on the directory for 1891 continues. All parties satisfied with the work issued heretofore, but the new book will lead them all. Don't forget this when called on by the canvassers.

Foster's Grocery Store. W. W. Foster will have a big celebration at his Water street grocery store Thursday and Friday, Nov. 30 and 31. There will be a coffee drawing, and hot coffee, hot cakes with maple syrup and bread and butter will be served free, while a band of music will assist in entertaining the thousands of visitors who will avail themselves of the hearty invitation extended to the general public by the liberal grocer. It will be an event to look forward to.

## STRAY SCRAP.

"McCarthy's Mishaps" to-night.

Douglas county vote sellers are being prosecuted.

The final naturalization papers of Julius Shaffer, a German, were issued yesterday.

Henry May was paying up his election bets yesterday. One was 25 cents worth of ginger bread for John Bird.

First Lieutenant E. S. Dillehunt of Co. H, Fifth regiment, I. N. G., has resigned after nine years' service. Second Lieutenant Frank Cassell will probably succeed him.

James Dunn and Miss Grace will be married at 5 o'clock this morning at high mass at St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Thomas Keirus and Miss Mollie Maroney will be married to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church, during the celebration of high mass.

H. C. Montgomery, who enters upon his duties as county treasurer on Dec. 1, is looking for a residence in Decatur. He will move to the city within the next two weeks.

Work began yesterday on the smoke stack at the new factory of the Decatur T. Co. The stack will be over 70 feet high and a great many brick will be used in its construction.

The First division of the Woman's Club at the meeting yesterday afternoon discussed the Burnett law. Next Monday they will discuss "Sabbath Observance and the Bible in the Schools."

Albert T. Summers went to Peoria yesterday to take the Scottish Rite degrees of Masonry. There is a Consistory at Peoria, and Mr. Summers will be gone until Thursday taking those high degrees.

Willie Bray, a boy of 10, fired a load of bird shot into the head of a man near Bloomington, named Schwartz, who ordered him off the place he was hunting on. Bray refused to go and shot at Schwartz twice.

Frank Allen, of Peoria, and Miss Mary Rankins, of Decatur, who is popular in colored society here, were married yesterday at 10:30 a. m., at the A. M. E. parsonage, by Rev. J. S. Woods. They have gone to Peoria to live.

J. M. Clokey has returned from Detroit, where he went to interview Commander Veazy of the G. A. R. General Veazy took considerable interest in the Memorial hall project and will at once appoint a committee as provided at the National encampment.

Mrs. P. B. Provost is suffering from a severe fall received last Saturday night. She was going out to the pump for some water, and in the darkness stepped down the cellar stairs. Someone had forgotten to close the door, and the result was that she sprained her right ankle very badly. She was able to be around the house yesterday.

The widow of President Lincoln and four of his descendants, his sons, Edward E., William and Tad, and Abraham Lincoln, Jr., son of Robert T., now lie buried in the Lincoln monument at Springfield. There are only two crypts remaining unoccupied, and they are held in readiness for Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Lincoln, when they, too, shall be called from earth.

The Short street hotel was so full last night that many guests had to sleep three in a bed. That didn't suit some of them very well, but Night Clerks Donahoe and Kirkbride were too good business men to turn any one away. The cool nights are making the applicants for lodgings quite numerous. An old mattress on a hard floor, with one thin blanket would be by most people considered worse than nothing, but the fellows who have tried it out of doors think differently. Most of the tramps who want to stay over night think it is a great comfort to get inside the cheery walls of the station house.

Burglars at Kenney.

The hardware store of Merriman & Ives at Kenney, was broken into Friday night and about \$10 worth of goods taken, such as pocket knives, hatchets, etc. The thief then entered the grocery store of John A. Buckles and took about \$25 worth of goods. The way the stores were entered indicates that the burglar was an experienced hand at the business.

Five new pieces of music have been published by the Chicago Music company, a firm that is noted for getting out fresh, popular and charming music. Three are vocal music. "The Windy City," a riddle; "Slumber Song," by Eudaisio Andros; "Bloomington Waltz," by Scott Price; "Sweet Angelina," by William A. Raabek; and "The Orphan Boy," by D. N. Long. All are pleasing and some will no doubt become the rage.

Want the Senator.

Members of the Macon county conference of F. M. B. A., Grange and Knights of Labor organizations are talking of having a meeting at the court house, Saturday, Nov. 16, to take action in reference to choice for United States senator. They would instruct for Major J. M. Thompson or Judge Lindley. They say they told the balance of power in the Illinois legislature, and will never consent to have the three F. M. B. A. members vote for Palmer.

Announcement.

Mrs. Sedgwick's terms and class hours for dancing and physical culture appear elsewhere in this paper. Just as soon as she knows definitely when her rooms will be ready for occupancy, a time will be appointed to receive persons who wish to join classes. This promise to be a successful year, as many applications for admission to classes have already been received.

Pearl Fisheries in Illinois.

Some time ago two boys, it is said, found pearls in the mussels in Mokena river, near Kappa. They took the pearls to Peoria, where they were offered \$25 for two of them. There has been a craze ever since. People are pearl hunting everywhere along the river, which is full of mussels and offers plenty of material to work on.

No Deer.

Word has been received from the hunting party in Missouri of which Dr. W. J. Chenoweth and J. E. Patterson are members. They say there is plenty of fish and small game, but they know they will get no deer. That is what they want most.

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The Wabash telegraph operator and agent at Wyeles has been promoted to the same position at Harriestown, and his former place is filled by another man.

Will Move.

Edward Allman, a well known citizen of Platt county has reached his farm and will move to Decatur to live. He was a candidate for sheriff at this election, but contrary to almost every other county, Platt returned nearly all the republican officers. Doubtless Mr. Allman has concluded that it is time to move when a county won't go democratic this year.

From Africa.

Rev. T. L. Johnson, a colored Baptist minister who has just returned from four years' work as a missionary in Africa, will lecture Thursday night at Guards armory for the benefit of Antioch Baptist church. The same night at the same place a grand reception will be tendered the delegates to the meeting of the State Baptist association.

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The sermons at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening by the pastor, Charles E. Torrey, were among the best he has preached during his pastorate and were listened to with deep interest by the large congregation present.

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Express Rates.

The merchants are beginning to feel the effects of the increased rates on express packages from New York and one or two other large cities. The rates are from 15 to 20 per cent higher on many things. On packages weighing 50 to 100 pounds this is considerable. Many merchants have concluded that they will get most of their goods by freight and are sending orders to that effect to their correspondents.

CIVIL WAR.

"Riflemen, shoot me a fancy shot  
Straight at the heart of you prowling vidette;  
Bring me a ball in the glittering spot  
That shines on his breast like an amulet."

"Ah, captain! here goes for a fine drawn lead,  
There's music around when my barrel's in tune;  
Crack! went the rifle, the messenger sped  
And dead from his horse fell the singing dragoon."

"Now, rifeman, steal through the bushes and  
Watch  
From your vision some trinket to handle first  
blood.  
A button, a loop, or that luminous patch  
That gleams, in the moon, like a diamond stud."

"Oh, captain! I staggered, and sunk in my track,  
When I gazed on the face of that fallen vidette,  
For he looked so like you, as he lay on his back,  
That my heart's gone within me and answer me  
yet."

"But I snatched off the trinket—this lock of  
gold;  
An inch from the center my head broke its way.  
Scarcely grazing the picture, so fair to behold,  
Of a beautiful lady in bridal array."

"The riflemen, fling on the lockers—'tis she,  
My brother's young bride—and the fallen dia-  
demon."

Was her husband—'Hush! soldier, 'twas Heaven's  
decree,  
We must bury him there by the light of the  
moon!"

But hark! the far bugles their warnings unite,  
War is a virtue, weakness a sin;  
There's a lurking and loping shadow to-night—  
Load again, riflemen; keep your hand in!"  
—Charles D. Shantley

A BUNCH OF MAGNOLIAS

He gathered a bunch of poems  
From a garden in the sky,  
And they were flower poems  
That came from old, so high!